NOTICE OF EMERGENCY PROMULGATION

AGENCY: Department of Marine Resources

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: 12 M.R.S.A. Sections 6172 and 6192

RULE PROMULGATION: DMR Regulation 95.05 BB, Closed Area No. 30-F, Point Lookout, Isle

Au Haut

TEXT OF RULE: DMR Regulation 95.05 BB, Closed Area No. 30-F, Point Lookout, Isle Au Haut

Effective immediately, because of pollution, it shall be unlawful to dig, take or possess any clams, quahogs, oysters or mussels taken from the shores, flats and waters of Point Lookout Isle Au Haut, starting at the Point Lookout Dock then running southwest to the eastern most point on Kimball Island then continuing east to a red painted post on Isle Au Haut.

Violation of any provision of this regulation shall be a Class D Crime (12 M.R.S.A. Section 6204).

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 30, 2004

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STATEMENT OF FACT AND POLICY

The Commissioner of the Maine Department of Marine Resources promulgates the emergency DMR Regulation 95.05 BB, Closed Area No. 30-F, Point Lookout, Isle Au Haut, closing the north end of the Isle Au Haut Thorofare.

Department personnel have surveyed and sampled the waters in this area and have determined that the closed area is not safe for shellfish harvest. Waters in this closed area are subject to intermittent microbiological pollution and, consequently, harvest of shellfish is prohibited to protect the public health.

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DEPUTY COMMISSIONER

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Legal Notice of Shellfish Closure Area For: Isle Au Haut

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